



Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 09/871,457 First Named Applicant: John Merrells
Examiner: S. S. Ismail Art Unit: 2155 Status of Application: RCE Filed

Tentative Participants:

(1) Examiner S. S. Ismail (2) Annemarie Dahm
(3) Robert P. Lord (4) Saleh Najjar (SPE)

Proposed Date of Interview: September 15, 2005 Proposed Time: 10:00 ~~(AM/PM)~~ **XX**

Type of Interview Requested:

(1) ☒ Telephonic (2) ☐ Personal (3) ☐ Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, provide brief description: _____

Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art U.S. Pat No.	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) <u>103(a)</u>	<u>1-22</u>	<u>5,117,351</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(2) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(3) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(4) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Continuation Sheet Attached					

Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

During the interview we would like to discuss how Miller fails to teach or suggest a multithreaded generation algorithm to generate a unique identifier

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on _____.

NOTE: This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

Robert P. Lord
Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature

Examiner/SPE Signature

Robert P. Lord
Typed/Printed Name of Applicant or Representative

Res No. 46,479
Registration Number, if applicable

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